# BULLETIN NEWS LETTERS FROM ITS BROADENING FIELD Troubles of a Coal Team—The Business Aspect—Matthew Mead Dies at 80—New School Opens Monday.

# LETTERS FROM TOWNS IN TWO STATES

The Business and Social Life of Every Town and Settlement Reflected in These Columns.

# LEW LONDON COUNTY.

#### UNCASVILLE

Past Grand's Collar Presented Doputy -Pipe for Frank B. Mitchell-Mrs. Vibber Has a Shock.

Judge Charles G. Turner and daugh-er, Miss May Turner, left Saturday o visit Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Phinney in Arlington Mass.

The death of the four weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mr., Charles Rogers occurred Friday. The funeral service was held Sunday/afternoon. rial was in Comstock Cemetery.

Presented Past Grand's Collar. At the session of The mes lodge, I. C. O. F. in Palmer Memorial hadd, G. Turner Leomis, district deputy, also a member of this ladge, was presented a past grand's collar in recognition of his services to the lodge ognition of his services to the lodge and to all lodges through the district. Noble Grand Ernest Auwood present-the gift. To Frank B. Mitchell, who transported members of this lodge to the picnic held at Fairview on Labor day in his launch, a handsome slivermounted briar pape was presented. Following the working of the second degree, a supply was served. Several members from out of town lodges were present, Janong them P. G. Dan-lel W. Darrow, P. G. James D. Snow, P. G. A. C. Phillips, P. G. A. H. Firman of New London.

#### Automobile Trip to Fair.

Edward Lewis took to the Hamburg fair in hin new touring car Joseph Johnson, Henry Daniels, James Dan-lels and Frank Glessinger. Others who visited this fair were Mr. and

Back to School. Miss Agnes Driscoll has returned to New York to resume school duties after a vacation spent with relatives

Mrs. Rachel Jacobs has returned to ark, N. J. after spending the sum-with relatives in town. Arthur Wilson, a former graduate of Paimer Memorial, new of Bridgeport, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bartlett.

Jewish Holidays. Saturday was observed by all the Hebrow farmers as a holy day. The services were held at the home of Mr. Buckoff, who lives in the house awn-

#### Seniors' Election.

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The senior class at Palmer Memorial achool held its class meeting and decided upon Yale blue and white for the class colors. The class flower is a white rose. The design for the class pin was decided upon but has not been received. The class numbers gine members, president. Harold Bearnblund: vice president. Harold Bearnblund: vice president. Herbert Rogers; secretary, Vern Bartlett. Carrie Wood was elected for the class paper. The members of the class are Vern Bartlett. Carrie Wood, Marion Henry, Harry Watt, Harold Rosenlund, Hierbert Rogers, Evelyn Comstock, Abraham Greenburg, Roylston Abraham Greenburg, Roylston

W. C. Newell of White Creek N. Y. occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church Sunday. Mr. New-ell was a pastor of this church from 1897 to 1898. Mr. Newell was saccompanied by Mrs. Newell and daugh-ter, Miss Eisle Newell. During their stay they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramage, Jr.

#### Mrs. Vibber at Backus Hospital. Mrs. Mary Jane Vibner was strick-

day, and was taken to Backus hos-pital Sunday for treatment. Her daughter, Miss Florence Vibber of Sew York, who was called home re-turned to New York Sunday night. Mrs. Charles Church received news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Char-lotte Marsh, at her home in Washing-ton. D. C., Sunday, September 26. Cochegan camp, Modern Woodmen of America, held a social and dance Robertson's hall Priday evening. The lacies aid society of the Methchurch was entertained at the of Mrs. John Botham Wednesday afternoon. Robert C. Collins has returned to his

home in Kingston, R. L. after a week end visit with relatives here. E. I. Browning started Wednesday morning filling his silo. Miss Jessie Bradford has returned tfer several weeks' visit to relatives

# LISBON

#### Mise Kennedy Returns from New Canaan-J. B. Palmer Wins Premi

Misses Martha Brosofske and Bertha ruck of Greeneville and Pauline Erl-tek of Tattville were visiting Miss mille Case is working in New

Monday evening from New Canaan. Conn., where she has been staying for three months. She has improved a good deal and her many friends are

glad to see her again. George Richards of Hanover made a stay in town last week.

Mrs. Jane Gallup, who has been ill, is gaining very slowly. Misses Margaretta and Anna Hoelck attended the wedding of Margi Banker and Frank Leete Saturday.

stay in town. J. B. Palmer has returned from the fairs and has had a most successful

# LIBERTY HILL

#### Marriage in Boston of George A. Trotter and Miss Lens Belle Noyes.

came from Colchester Tuesday with a small house on wheels, going to Ashford. They got set in the bad traveling and had to leave the house here until Wednesday.

Cards were received here Tuesday announcing the marriage of George Alexander Trotter and Miss Lena Belle Noves, in Boaton, Saturday aft-ernoon, September 25, 1969. Mr. Trot-ter's parental home is in South Manchester. He now is in the insurance business in Boston. Mist Noyes has been teaching in the Wester action, in Cambridge, Mass.

There was a frest here Tuesday

Miss Ruberta Burges sof Springfield isted her aunt, Mrs. E. A. Noyes, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Clarke are making three youks visit, to their forester in New York air.

#### NIANTIC

#### Temperance Address-Outing for Woman's Relief Corps-Tower Store

Smith of Hartford will de liver an address on Temperance at the Congregational church Sunday vening.
The Silent Three met at the home

f Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Bacon in week.
The Woman's Christian Temperance dala.
union met on Thursday afternoon at afterno

Temperance chapel.

Miss Elizabeth L. Colville has returned from a three months' stay with equaintances in Vermont.

Mrs. Frank Sherman of New Lon-on was in town Wednesday.

Miss Inez M. Spencer has returned a pleasant trip through Massa-

a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hackett will leave next Tuesday for a two weeks vacation trip to Gardner, Mass.

Dr. Dart is building a new concrete walk in front of his residence in Main

#### Notes. A number in this section were out late Tuesday afternoon to witness the beautiful rainbow and its reflection in

the Niantic river.
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bell will remain
in Providence, R. I., for another week
before returning to their home in the The Woman's Relief corps of New

London spent Wednesday with Mrs. George Goss at her cottage in the Point called on her father, George S. Partric, in Pine Grove, Monday. Mrs. H. B. Goodenough of New Ha-ven arrived in the Grove Tuesday.

R. O. Libby returned to his business in New York Tuesday. Howard M. Pitkin of High street was a Niantic vilstor Tuesday. Tower Store Closed. The Tower store on Center street

has closed for the season. Capt. W. H. Barker of the steamer New London spent a few days this week with Mrs. Barker at their cottage on Orchard street.

age on Orchard street.

Mrs. F. A. Aston has returned from t visit to Deep River and Middletown.

H. B. Goodenough of New Haven at his cottage in Broadway.

Miss Jessie A. Willey has been at Black Point a few days this week.

Isaac R. Sanford has returned to New Haven after remaining in the New Haven after remaining in the Grove for some time with Mrs. I. R. Sanford at Harmony lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Butler are occupying the Winfield cottage in South street.

# FRANKLIN

#### Stephen Parker Celebrates 76th Birthtay-8 icial of Ladies' Aid Society.

Mrs. O. Mosier has returned to New London, after spending a few days with Mrs. Addison Rockwood. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grant and son and Mrs. S. N. Hyde.

Henry Parker of Plain Hills was the

miss Grace Mosier spent Friday Miss Grace Mosier spent Friday in New London calling on relatives. Miss Faith N. Gager has gone to Portland, Me., for a short stay. Mrs. Julia Grant of Willimantic, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S.

Fred Johnson spent Wednesday in Mrs. Mabelle Martin and Miss Belle Martin of Willimantic were guests of Mrs. Isham Hyde one day last week. Mrs. Josie Parker, Mr. and Mrs.

Geer and Henry Parker of Hills were guests of Stepher Parker on Wednesday Lloyd R. Robinson is spending a few ays in Brattyeboro. Mrs. Abbie Speeler and Miss Lillie Johnson of Sunny Top are spending several day's in Boston, Fred Race was a Norwich vis-Mrs, Fred Race

Stephen Parker's 76th Birthday. Stephen Parker entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening of last week it being the seventy-sixth anniversary of his birth. Dur-ing the evening there were selections on the phonograph after which ice cream and cake was served and a social time was enjoyed by all. Aid Society's Social.

The Ladies' Aid society held an ena large number in attendance. A fine-ly rendered solo by Miss Anna Eng-strom, accompanied by Mrs. M. A. Bo-lande, was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Ruth Rogers recited entertainingly. During the evening remarks were made by Rey. H. A. Beadle, Fred Armstrong, William Smith and George Starkweather. Cake, ice cream and coffe were served.

# GARDNER LAKE

# Matters Chiefly Personal.

Olin F. Boynton is visiting relatives and friends in New York.

Mrs. Lila Boynton of Norwich visiting local relatives.

Mrs. Ida Williams of Norwich isiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Gard-

Miss Bertha Metzger of Norwich b ne guest of local friends. Mrs. Ernest Latimer and daughter ois are visiting relatives and friends n New London and Groton. Mrs. Paul Glasbrenner and sister,

Harry Auwood, of Montville, d on local friends a few days ago. H. Bailey is visiting relatives at Flanders.
Miss Robic Boynton visited her parents on Sunday.

# CLARK'S FALLS

Recent Guests at Sunshine Rest House Miss Annie Perney has returned to Miss Belle Andrews, who is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Adams on Pen-dleton Hill, has been visiting several

days with Miss Mabel Bill at the Rest

Two ladies who have been the guests | Herrick. of Miss. Bill at the Sunshine Rest house returned to New Haven on Thursday morning. Next week offi-cers of the Neighborhood club meet in the chapel to elect officers for the

### VOLUNTOWN.

# Mrs. St. O'Barre Dies at the Age of

Ann's church. The Harmony orchestra of six pieces, under the leadership of William Richards, furnished music. George W. Macomber and Joseph

urday and Wednesday evenings was attended by large and appreciative au-diences, several reels of good pictures

On Sunday at 3 a. m. occurred the death of Ernest Joseph, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Elva Daigneau of Beachdale. The funeral took place The funeral took place Monday noon. Burial was in St. Thomas'

On Saturday occurred the death 106 years, deceased having been born in Canada in 1803. The funeral took place on Monday morning from St. Thomas' church, a requiem high mass being celebrated by the pastor, the Rev. J. V. E. Belanger. Burial was in St Thomas' cemetery.
Mr. and Mrs. William LeClaire
Taftville were in town on Monday.

Foresters' Meeting. A public meeting was held in Union hall on Thursday evening in the inter-est of the Independent Order of For-estars, who recently instituted a court in this town. The speakers were A. Elrson and Judge J. J. Quinn of Hart-ford. Chief Ranger Charles Anderson

Farmers around town are diggins their potatoes and the crop is proving better than expected. In the procession at the forty hours' devotion the flower girls were Miss Nellie Curbuchon and Miss Margaret McDonald and the cross bearer

# FITCHVILLE

#### Only Two Voters Out of List of Sixteen-Democrats Hold Coucus.

Stark. Charles Phillips John Sullard enoyed an outing to Ex-eter recently, where they were hos-pitably entertained by Mr. Sullard's cousin. Clark Sullard. During the morning the party tried their luck at fishing, and returned at noon with a catch of 200 bullheads.

Only Two New Voters. At the recent meeting held in the town house for the purpose of mak-ing new voters out of a list of sixteen ames only two were made.

Mrs. Margaret Moore of New Lon-

Mrs. Margaret Moore of New London was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chapman, as also was Lucius Chapman of Colchester.

George Adams and family were guests of relatives in Montville Sunday.

Representative and Mrs. John F. Fields and daughter, Kathryn, were recent guests of relatives in New London.

Jeffrey Kinkead of Providence was a Sunday caller at the home of his father. Thomas Kinkead, who is seriously ill.

to Hartford Monday morning.

Fred Traver, who has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Chapman for several years, left last week to join his mother. Mrs. Meldrum, in Oswego, N. Y. His place has been taken by Daniel Davis of the Massachusetts home for boys at Springfield.

Mrs. Curtis Gates of New London visited her parents. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Perkias. Wednesday.

Mrs. Richard Povey, with her daughters, the Misses Adelina and Grace, who have spent the summer here, re-George Adams and family were guests of relatives in Montville Sunday.

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The democrats of the town held their caucus in the Town hall last Saturday and chose the following ticket for the coming election:

Selectmen—John H. Miner, John F. season at turned last week to their home in Norwich Town.

Board of relief-Gilbert Rudd, Frank Constables—John Sweeney, Charles Kingerger, Joseph Noland. Grand jurors—Jeremiah Allyn, rick Sweeney, William Way. Treasurer—Samuel Gager.

Registrar of voters-J. Harry Min-Tix collector-Charles Gager Auditor-John S. Sullivan.

# NORTH LYME

# Local People at East Haddam Fair

Woodruff were Hartford visitors on

been assisting Mrs. Charles Stark who is recovering from illness.

Mrs. Louise Conant and Miss Edna Frederick, who have been spending the summer at bradley Beach, N. J., have been guests at the parsonage the past

S. N. Jewett, who has been ously ill with cholers, is improving The trained nurse who has been carof Fitchville visited at George Bab-cock's over Sunday.

# LEONARD BRIDGE

Annual Reception of Liberty Club-Black Raspberries October 1st.

are visiting in East Haddam.

Mrs. E. R. Robertson of East Norwalk is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Spaulding of Maple Corner.

The officers of the Liberty club hold the work of a stated supply of its pultheir annual reception and collation pit for the remainder of the year. their annual reception and collation today (Saturday) from 1 till 5. Re-freshments and ice cream will be serv-

Mrs, Luther Spaulding picked black raspberries on October 1.

Mrs. L. M. Niles is spending some with relatives in Norwich and Elmer Pierson of Norwich was in

this place buying cattle on Wednes A number from this place will tend the fellowship meeting of the several churches at Goshen on Satur

# BOZRAH

# Six Foot Black Snake Killed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hyde of Yantic ere guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Abel Mr. and Mrs. William F. Herrick and Mr. and Mrs. Orin Maples left Friday for New York to attend the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

Miss Pauline Johnson of Norwich attended church at Bozrah Center last Sunday, the guest of Mrs. William

Norwich spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Lathrop.
Mr. Lathrop, while out in the orchard, killed a black snake measuring oming year.

Mrs. Albert Kuhn, who has been under the care of the doctor, is much immacrad.

six feet and five inches in length.

Mrs. O. A. Bishop has been visiting mrs. Fred Parker of New Lendon.

# GALES FERRY

#### Artist Bisbing Arranging for New House and Studio-Missionary Sunday-Cottage Notes.

The Ladles' Aid society of the Meth odist church resumed the regular business sessions at the vestry of the church Friday afternoon, Sept. 24, after a vacation during the summer. The usual reports were made by the officers and the membership of the society was increased, four former members re-

increased, four former members re-uniting at this session.

Mrs. W. W. Benson of Montclair, N.
J., left here Saturday to spend a few days attending the Hudson-Fulton cel-ebration in New York.

Miss Fforence Lamb of the navy yard is ill with pleurisy,
Mrs. E. V. Mann of Norwich is visit-ing her sister, Mrs. Franklin H.

Brown

Plans for New House.

Henry Singlewood Bishing of Phila-eiphia, with an architect from that ity and a Norwich contractor, was in he village Saturday, making arrangements for the erection of his residence and studio on the site of the old Adams homestead. Mr. and Mrs. Bisbing, who have leased the property in the village belonging to Mrs. Delphine Fish, will arrive here about Nov. 1. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Coleman of Norwich visited their summer Home on he bluff Saturday. Mrs. Charles B. Jennings of New London, who has been entertaining Mrs. Ann and Mrs. Christine Lyon of Washington, D. C., at Meadow Croft cottage, Riverview place, for the pas

weeks, closed the cottage Wednes Rev. Oliver C. Morse and son An thony left here Monday to spend a few days in New Haven.

Guy Ayer, who has been spending some time recently with his cousin, Mrs. Fannie Adams Molthrop, at River Bend place, returned to Norwich

Mrs. William Noyes and son, Wiliam, Jr., who were guests last week of their aunt, Mrs. Sarah Perkins, left Saturday to visit relatives in Norwich before their return to their home in

#### OBITUARY.

#### Mrs. Esther Bailey

Mrs. Esther Balley, widow of Simeor Balley, died at the home of her son William F. Alexander, in Groton at ar early hour Saturday, Sept. 25. Mrs Balley was twice married, her firs nusband being William Alexander, Sh his survived by two sons, Adelhert V. Alexander of Gales Ferry and William F. of Groton, and three daughters, Mrs. Flora Isham of Mohegan, Mrs. Libby Demorest of Port Richmond, Staten

William Brooks of Hartford was a ver Sunday guest of relatives in th village. Mrs. Brooks, who has been spending several days at her former home here, returned with Mr. Brooks to Hartford Monday morning.

who have spent the summer here, returned to their home in New London ter, Miss Natalie, who have passed the season at the Jones cottage, also re-

Work on the new house which rhomas Ball is building on the site of the old Jonathan Stoddard homestead n the Stoddard district, is progressin rapidly. Mr. Ball is assisted in th work by his brother-in-law, G. F Babcock, and sons of Ledvard Center Mr. and Mrs. Franklin H. Brown en-tertained Mrs. Harvey P. Aldrich and Mrs. Nelson J. Crowell and daughter

Mrs. Latham Smith and Mrs. E. James of Allyn's Point returned Mon-day from a week's visit with Mrs. James' relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dickerson, in Hartford. Next Sunday will be Missionary day in the Gales Ferry Sunday school, The collection will be devoted to missionary

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Smith of East ter cottage on the bluff for a new Lyme visited at G. H. Strong's Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Keene and daughter of Ballouville were recent guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Eliza D. Maynard.

# NORTH STONINGTON

New Magazines at Library-Missionary Experiences.

Several new magazines have been dded to the tables in the Wheeler li-Maine at Eden Park, suburban Providence. John Murphy has moved from this illage to Norwich. Mrs. N. S. Edgcomb has been visit-

ing her niece, Mrs. Fred Wheeler, at Wequetequock. Miss Elizabeth W. Whitman is to enter Brown university as a student. Rev. F. T. Whitman preached in the Third Baptist church last Sunday, at the evening service giving some of his experiences in foreign lands, he hav-ing been a missionary in Burma. Next Sunday Rev. Lucian Drury who was formerly the pastor of the Third Baptist church, will enter upon

# HAMBURG.

#### East Haddam Fair Attended by Loca People.

A number from this place attended the fair at East Haddam Wednesday. M. C. Bill was in Deep River Wed-T. L. B. society met at Town hall Mrs. M. E. Huntley has been in Es sex the past week.

Mrs. Chappell, who has been staying at the Martin house, is in Boston for few days.
Miss Dora Reynolds has returned nome from the Hartford hospital

#### PRESTON Mrs. Hannah Griffith Returns West-Meeting of G. R. Club.

The G. R. club met Saturday afteron with Miss Bessie Crary.

Mrs. J. C. Atterbury of New York
visiting her son, J. C. Atterbury.

Mrs. Howard Griffith has returned
the west after visiting at Mrs. John C. A Northrop preached in th Congregational church Sunday.

Airs George C. Land and little son,
Charles Orrin, of Greeneville, visited
Thursday with J. Lester Harris,

Mrs. Ernest Kennedy is visiting with

There was a fall in the coal market Thursday. As a load was being driven across the drawbridge the hind axie broke short off, letting the wagon drop to the bridge and spilling the contents. Another wagon was soon soon procured and the wreck removed.

within a week makes the capitalists ook anxious. The affairs of the Gil-pert Transportation company are still hold back the good news. Those who from the outside take an unbiased view of the situation think if Captain Mark Gilbert, who has built up the business from its foundation, cannot make it a success, a new man, unfamiliar with marine affairs, can do no better and will be liable to do no better, and will be liable to do

The goods on hand in the Mystic shoe parlor that were attached by E. A. Bliven for money loaned the proprietor, Joseph Haas, have been removed by Constable Foley, awaiting the order of the court.

The Home bakery, that made an assignment by C. R. Donath last week to W. L. Main, has reopened. Satisfactory arrangements have been made with the creditors.

Matthew Mead, an octogenarian, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. P. Hewitt, at 5 a. m., Thurs-

New Linen Factory Started. Work has commenced on the linen factory south of the railroad, opposite Capt. M. L. Gilbert is president

the new company. Five acres of land has been purchased for the site. Notes. Miss Julia Myers of Norwich is visiting in town.

A very high tide Thursday morning reached to the sidewalk on Washing-

reached to the sidewalk on Washington street.

School will commence in the new school house on School street next Monday. The delay in opening has been caused by waiting for the school house to be completed.

Postmaster Potter has had printed for free distribution a fifty-two-page book, giving the rates of postage, postal laws, office hours and lots of valuable information, together with advertisements of local enterprises, firms and business men of the town.

# and business men of the town. Allen Avery has a new house nearly completed at the corner of Washington and Jackson streets,

#### LEDYARD Emmons White Enters Yale-Senator and Mrs. Allyn Entertain Selectmen -Revival Meeting.

White, left on Tuesday morning for New Haven, where he will at-tend Yale college. Senator and Mrs. William I. Allyn

gave a dinner to the retiring board of selectmen at their residence on Sat-urday. Mr. Allyn has been the town cierk of Ledyard for the past ten years and has been renominated on both tickets for the coming year.

A stereopticon lecture was held in the church on Sunday evening. Irtis Whipple of Norwich has been several days at the home of his father. Mr. Whipple is in the employ of Jas. M. Young of Norwich. Series of Revivals.

# A series of revival meetings are being held at the Peckham Baptist church nightly. Much interest has been manifested.

Charles D. Geer has finished resting his large crop of between 7

and 8 acres of cucumbes for pickles. Mr Geer has a contract with New York parties for his entire crop. Newsy Briefs. William Morgan and son Thom as Leffingwell, spent Wednesday with

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Gray daughter have returned to New don, after spending a few days don, after spending a few days with Mr. Gray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gray.
Miss Grace Gallup has returned home after visiting relatives and friends in Norwich and Franklin. Mrs. Charles P. Beckwith of Frank-

#### lin has been visiting friends and relatives in town.

#### SALEM Townspeople Attend Grange Fairs-\*Thirty-five Pupils Registered at

Central School-Church News. Mr. and Mrs. William Darling, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hanney, Mrs. Charles Malona and Miss Alice Rix attended Lyms

range fair. Mrs. Abbie Herrick and Miss Lavena Staplin attended the Colcheste fair last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren E. Rathbone and daughter Cella and Miss Lizzie Dol beare spent a day recently as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McIntire of

Miss Eva M. Standish, teacher of the Central school, spent Saturday at the home of her brother, E. J. Stand-

are being brought to the Centra school, Harris Morgan furnishing con-veyance. Thirty-five pupils are now registered at the Central school. Nine Members on School Board.

At a special town meeting held in

the Town hall on Saturday afternoon it was voted that the new school board shall consist of nine members. The selectmen, town clerk and registrars were in session at the Town ball last Saturday for the purpose of making new voters. A number qualined.

Rev. L. W. Frink again occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church on Sunday morning, giving a most earnest and helpful sermon.

Rev. Mr. Newton, the evangelist, conducted service at the Baptist church on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. F. R. Bailey was a recent callday in Norwich last week. Mrs. E. L. Latimer and daughter. Miss Lois, are visiting relatives in Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Miner at-

nesday.

Mrs. I. L. Fletcher was the guest of this week.

James H. Beebe returned this week from a trip to Orange, Derby and New Haven.

R. A. Builey is serving as juror in Norwich this week.

medical examiner for New London, arrived in town Monday night at 8.10 from New York city after a European tour of six weeks with R. T. Palemr of Pequot avenue. They returned from Liverpool on the White Star hier Cedric and arrived in New York Eun-

# WINTHROP COVE SHOULD BE MADE SIGHTLY

The Rotting Hulk of the Old Whaler Charles Colgate Should be Removed-Lucuis E. Whiton, the Republican Candidate for Mayor-Bryan F. Mahan a Martyr to the Democratic Party-. he Liquor License Question-New Young Men in Politics-Policeman Rehn's Frompt Action Greatly to His Credit.

passed away and generously remem-bered his native city in his will, it would be perhaps well to remove the rotting hulk of the last of the New London whalers, the Charles Colgate, from Winthrop's cove, where it has become an eyesore to the dear public and sarves as a respect to the and serves as a reproach upon the good name of the city upon all who come to New London by train from the eastward. When the vessel became useless the old craft was stripped and then towed into the cove and left in the mud near the east shore, and there

the mud near the east shore, and there it has been for about twenty years. In that time the hulk has gradually fallen apart, and now there is only a partially covered frame.

The executors of the Lawrence estate have improved some of the property, notably the bank and private residence, and it would be well if they gave a moment of time for the consideration of the removal of the old hulk which, in its present condition, does not reflect creditable memory upon its former owner.

not reflect creditable memory upon its former owner.

The expense of breaking up what remains of the old Colgate would not be a very difficult undertaking, and some one might be found who would do the job for the junk there is in the remnant of the old whaling schooner. There is an anchor in the mud and attached to this and wound around the windlass is several fathoms of chain cable and there is considerable other iron work of monetary value. Besides there must be a great number of copper nails in the planking below the water line, for the bottom of the Colgate was sheathed with copper, which was stripped before she went into

#### LEBANON

#### Eastern Connecticut Branch of W. F. M. Society Holds Interesting Meeting-Rally Day Programme at Congregational Sunday School.

The eastern Connecticut branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary soci-ety met in the First Congregational church last Friday, the morning ses-sion beginning at 10 o'clock and the afternoon at 1 o'clock. There were 57 ladies present from Norwich, Wil-limantic, Boston and other places. Let-ters were read from China and other countries. Reports were given of the Silver Bay convention. A very interesting and instructive address was given by Mrs. James H. Pettee, a missionary in Japan, who, with her husband, has recently returned for a visit to their homeland. Miss Abbis Will. to their homeland. Miss Abbie Wil-lard was the presiding officer. Many more doubtless would have attended had there not been threatenings of rain in the forenoon and a regular down-pour in the afternoon. But, upon the whole, it was pronounced a pleasant and profitable meeting.

Last Sunday was observed as Raily day in the Congregational Sunday school. In place of the usual study of the lesson there were brief remarks made by many persons on subjects which had been assigned them. Among these were some of the former super-intendents who were asked to present some recollections of the school in other of days. First, N. B. Williams, who had been superintendent for over 20 years, spoke of the school in its earlier years. Deacon William A. Wetmore, also a superintendent about 14 years, spoke of his work and experiences. Many others made brief but interesting for generals. The singing was good, ing remarks. The singing was good, ing remarks. The singing was good, in great the republicans of the school in recognition of services to the well worker and claimed the nomination in recognition of services from the always been an active party worker and claimed the nomination in recognition of services from the accepted democrat chough he be, there is a strongly expressed belief that the bright and popular young Waller would be eiect-pound to do on the that the bright and popular young Waller would be eiect-pound to do on the the form the second of the school in the school in the sum of the second of the school in the same of the sinking ship. They are not of the school in the same of the sinking ship. They are not of the sinking s Rally Day. ing remarks. The singing was good, the room was beautifully decorated, and almost the entire consregation at the morning service remained to the rally. A cradle roll was inaugurated, with Mrs Fred N. Taylor in charge. At a special town meeting held in Town hall last Monday at 1 p. m. to decide upon the number to be chosen for the town school committee, it was voted to elect three for that purpose.

A republican caucus was held in the Town hall last Monday at 2 p. m., at which time the officers for the town

for the ensuing year on that ticket were placed in nomination. Rev. and Mrs. H. Martin Kellogg of Ekonk took Lebanon in for a brief visit last week. Their former parish-ioners were glad to see them. Mrs. Sarah E. Gager is welcomed back by her many friends after the summer spent at Weckapaug. The Lebanon baseball nine again met the Columbia team last Saturday on the Green and again shouts of victory were heard for the Lebanon boys.

#### MOHEGAN. G. R. Saunders' Trip-Sinking Well

Deeper. tertained at Cosey Corners a few days

It in other towns over two Weeks ago. He visited Rockville. Willimantle, Hartford and Norwich. He was at Norwich several days, suffering with a severe cold. He returned home Wedwork has commenced on new macadam near the witch hazel mill.

H. A. Opperman is having his well taken up and sunk deeper, it has been dry for several weeks and lie had to bring water a long ways for use. Miss Lizzie Hunter is visiting in New Haven for a number of weeks. streams and surface aprings have been

# GOSHEN.

#### Stereopticon Lecture Postponed-Fellowship Meeting Today.

ing the stereopticon exhibition and lec-ture on missionary work by Rev. Leon-ard B. Tenney of Scotland was post-poned until next Sunday evening. Oct. 3d.

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A. E. Lyman of Columbia was a caller here on Saturday.
Marcus O. Burr of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been spending a few days with riends here. William C. Thomas, with a portable ensilage cutting outfit, is alling siles at Plain Hill, Norwich.

Mr. Perkins of Springfield, Mass., was a caller here on Wednesday.

A choir rehearsal was held at the church on Wednesday evening.

A fellowship meeting is to be held at Goshen church today (Saturday).

Oct. 2d.

# PENDLETON HILL

New London.-Dr. Harry M. Lee, guest at the parsonage, has been sending a few days in Clarks Falls ith Miss Mabe! Bill with Miss Mabe! Bill.

Harris Boardman of Lancaster, Pa.
has been spending several days with
his wife at the Palmer hondstead.

Misses Winitred and Coole Palmer
of Sast Greenwich spent Sunday with

portion of them remain.

That copper nails remain in the planking of vessels after the copper is stripped can be proven by the evidence of the men today who were boys be-

manimous vote of the republican city convention, as previously planned by the party leaders, and will without doubt be elected mayor by a hand-come majority, as it is conceded that the city is now republican by at least aix hundred. He is certainly a representative citizen, a successful business man and has been active in republican politics. While many preferred to have him re-elected to the legislature, or perhaps the senate, fate ordained otherwise, and now he will serve the city instead of the state in an official

brought prominence to his home city and general recognition of Mr. Whit-on's ability and his familiarity with public affairs. He was a competer public affairs. He was a competent legislator and should be a very acceptable mayor, for he has before served the city in the court of common council and on the board of school visitors. He is one of the most zealous members of the Second Congregational church, and not very long ago presented the church a costly set of chime bells in memory of his wife, deceased. He is also a strong advocate of temperance and under his administration there will undoubtedly be enforcement of the laws without fear or favor.

The aldermen nominated to be a part of the Whiton administration are Charles C. Perkins in the First ward.

Charles C. Perkins, in the First ward, 4 merchant tailor, and who is also in favor of law enforcement along lines similar to those of Mr. Whiton, and would be an earnest supporter of a reform administration. In the Second reform administration. In the Second ward where there was a lively contest. Samuel Prentis, an undertaker, was chosen to represent the republicans of the ward. He has always been an active party worker and claimed the nomination in recognition of services rendered. Thomas Howe, the well known horseman and exalted ruler of New London lodge of Elks, has made his debut into politics and was the unanimous choice of the Third ward-So as a whole the republican ticket is a strong one, fully up to the average, and entitled to full party support. Selectmen DaSilva and Kennerson

were renominated, as were the mem-bers of the board of school visitors, the sheriff and other minor officers, Bryan F. Mahan, ex-mayor of New London, has proven himself a martyr to the democratic party, for he has against his own best judgment and for ourly sake consented to lead the for-Prior to the city convention he pub-licly declared that he had not been and would not be a candidate for the mayoralty against Mr. Whiton, or any other man, and that he would not accept the nomination if given him. When he made this emphasic statement Mr. Mahan probably supposed that some other democrat would be willing to sacrifice that mite for the party that did much for him. This same chap held a rovernment office for four years under the cleveland administration, has served in the court of common council been nominated for city clerk. rather than have no nomination made, and the nomination of Mr. Whiton unanimous and his election likewise. Such an individual did not come to the

such an individual did not come to the front and center and Mr. Mahan was asked to walk heavily where others dereant tread, and he yielded. The party, he declared, had served him well and now in the time of distress he was willing to serve the party. Such sacrifice is rarely witnessed in local poli-

port of many republicans in matters political and there is no possible way of figuring out his political strength. Eut. with the republican party practi-

imploy of the Chappell company the lumber department, and who has had council experience as an alder-man at large. In the Second ward, J. man at large. In the Second ward, J. Ira Benham, a foreman at the Brown cotton gin plant, is the nominee. In the Third ward, the only one where there was a contest. Alderman John F. Murray was beaten by John J. Ryan, his next door neighbor, and a well known mason and building contractor. Mr. Murray was an anti-Mahan democrat and he has in part paid the penalty. James F. O'Leary, 'Lucky James,' was nominted to represent the Fourth ward unanimously. He is the manager of the depot resturant and prominent in Elikdom and Redmanship. Down in the Fifth ward, Benjamin Boylan, a horseman in the Pequot section, was nominated. All are good men, as are the rest of the are good men, as are the rest of the nominees on the ticket, but their chances of election are so remote that serious consideration is not given the democratic ticket in the coming elec-

Some one has said that the liquor licence question is not a political one, as democrats and republicans are divided in that respect but. Just the same, it is the leading issue in the

paign and their efforts are of results and it would not

small hoys of that period, armed with nippers, used to go onto the docks and pull copper nails from the old planking, sell them as junk, and get money enough to go to the circus, and perhaps buy a plate of ice cream, with two or more spoons, from nice Mr. Thomas or Candy Rogers.

Mr. Lawrence has left something more creditable and enduring to the city of New London for the perpetuation of his memory than the old and fast rotting hulk of the whaling schooner Charles Colgate, and if his executors do not cause the removal of the old eyesore forthwith the proper city officials should take the matter into serious consideration.

have the effect of better enforcement of the liquor laws, something that should be done in this overburdened injure saloun city.

The liquor dealers are not idle, for they, too, are getting in some of the kind of political work that counts. They are moving about and among the voting population and coming in direct contact with the men who deposit the ballots that will decide whether or not the saloon men must lose what they have invested and engage in some of them who are law-abiding and have influence, are on a still hunt to safeguard their own interests, and they believe the gum-shoe tread will be more effective as a vote-

Like all other public questions there is subject matter for discussion on both sides, and there is no doubt that the open talk in favor of no-licenso will set people thinking and is sure to bear results, so far as gaining recruits, but it is believed it will be after this year before the army will be stron enough to defeat the issue of lique licenses in New London. The present week of caucuses and sity conventions has brought into the limelight several young men who will

ex-governor, and who is, like father like son, a staunch democrat. For first time, he took active part in Second ward caucus and for the f nature of remarks than a forcible speech, Young Waller has many of the taking characteristics of the mag-

to as the democrats who "stood to the rack, fodder or no fodder." Mr. Ma-han in its time of adversity has accepted the democratic nomination for mayor, but others decline to be didates for minor offices simply cause they are almost sure of being defeated. But when the party was in the ascendancy these same chaps were

One man in particular has declined to permit his name to be used on the ticket as assessor, just for the sake of filling the ticket, and at a time when he should be willing to sacrifice that mite for the party that did much served in the court of common coun-cil, been nominated for city clerk, held position in the water department and was candidate for the office of clerk of the board of assessors, a posi-tion that it is said was created for

In Mr. Mahan's case he has nothing to gain and much to lose. He has already had the high honor of heing mayor of his native city and should he by any hook or crook happen to get elected he would of necessity neglect his other business, which would mean material loss, especially as he has since retiring from the mayoralty become one of the most extensive road contractors in this section of New England. hour. It is said that the change not pleasing to all the bosses, as has a tendency to lessen receipts, s compliance is made to satisfy union customers. Estimate has been made that there

cally united on Mr. Whiton, and the city at least six hundred majority for the republicans, it would not seem as if Mr. Mahan would be required to reglect his private business to perform the duties of mayor of New London. came to union shops. However, the union barbers have the right to make demands, and they would probably make none that they considered un-just to themselves or their employers

Policeman Walter Rehn certainly earned his salary last Tuesday night when he discovered fire in the big Foran building, and he knew just the proper thing to do in the emergency. He saw the store filling with smoke and instead of rushing across the street to the fire alarm box and calling but the deartment to deliver the the Niagara house, and gave information that there was smoke in the Foran building. The firemen took heed and within a couple of minutes the auto-chemical hose wagon was at the scene. A quick investigation showed the fire to be in the cellar. Just as the flames were creeping up between the partition, the Niagaras were there with a line of chemical hose, and the fire was under control before any damage of consequence was done.

The officer's coolness and good judgment; not only saved the city a use-

ment not only saved the city a us-tess bill of expense in calling out ti-department, but saved great damag to the linmense Foran stock by wa-ter, for had the firemen beam calls they would put have been satisfied probably, without getting water in